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PROTEST OF U. S. CAUSES ORDERS

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Chihuahua, Mexico, December 21.—Any one who hereafter loots or molests property of foreigners or Mexicans will be executed. The right to confiscate property will rest only with the Constitutional government.

General Francisco Villa today issued this order in the name of the Constitutional government. As an example he executed on the plaza a band of rebels who had been found guilty by a court-martial of robbing the home of a wealthy Mexican. While the six rebels were marching before the firing squad the stolen goods were returned to the owner.

All stores owned by deserters from the expelled Spaniards today were closed and sealed. Orders were given that no more goods are to be taken from them. This action was believed to have resulted from the protest of the United States against the seizure of Spanish property. Already great quantities of the goods, valued at several million dollars, had been seized by the rebels.

The remainder of the property is to be held, pending an investigation as to whether the owners aided the Huertista government.

Strengthened by Desertions.

General Villa said his forces were being strengthened by desertions from the Federal troops. He proclaimed amnesty to Federal soldiers who would surrender and give up their arms. Many Federal troops are reported to have joined the rebels. Three hundred thousand rounds of rifle ammunition and 500,000 rounds of artillery ammunition were recovered from a lake east of Chihuahua. Reports that a battle is imminent between large bodies of opposing forces south of here are untrue.

Terrazas Still a Prisoner.

Juarez, Mexico, December 21.—Although negotiations have been under way for the payment of \$250,000 for his release, Luis Terrazas, Jr., today still is held prisoner by General Villa at Chihuahua. The father, whose vast estate, together with that of the Creels, was confiscated under the Huertista regime, was released and sent to the United States. When Terrazas, Sr., accompanied the Federal forces in their flight to the border, the women members of his family refused to leave. They still are in Chihuahua, helping in the efforts to release Terrazas.

Terrazas was not charged with any activity against the rebels, but was arrested because of his father's great wealth. The father, Terrazas, was reported to have taken much of his cash and securities to the United States, and Villa is asking for the return of some of it. The division of the land among the Terrazas land among the rebels is one of the planks in the revolutionary platform.

Will Fire on Foreign Ships.

Washington, December 21.—Roberto Fesquerra, confidential agent here of the Mexican Constitutionalists, has instructed the agent of the party in London, Miguel Alemán, to advise the Mexican minister to Russia, to advise Lloyd's maritime insurance agency that steamers of any nationality bringing munitions of war contracted for by the Mexican government will be fired on by the Mexican Constitutionalists.

The agency here declined to say whether the Constitutionalists expected to purchase the arms for the purpose of blockading ports held by Federal forces, but it was made plain that the agency and land forces hereafter would not hesitate to fire on foreign ships if they carried arms for the Huertista government. This course, according to the Constitutionalists here, would be justified under international law. They say they intended their caution to be taken for ships that might come to the Pacific coast, where they are better able to prevent arms from being landed.

International Complications Are Likely to Arise if the Constitutionalist land forces open fire with their mountain artillery upon foreign ships, but, as there seemed to be no immediate possibility of such a contingency, officials displayed little interest on the subject.

Officers Executed at Sunrise.

Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico, December 21.—The commissioned officers and sergeants and corporals of the Tenth Battalion of the Federal garrison at Guaymas yesterday were executed at sunrise in that city, according to word brought here to-night. Officers and men of the Tenth were disarmed several days ago by General Ojeda, Federal commandant, when he discovered they were plotting to desert to the insurgents.

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GLYNN TURNS DOWN WHITMAN

Question Motive in Seeking Appointment as District Attorney. Albany, N. Y., December 21.—A request by District Attorney Whitman, of New York, that he be appointed a special deputy Attorney-General that he might make a State-wide graft investigation, will not be granted by Governor Glynn. The Governor in a statement to-night, which sharply criticized Mr. Whitman and questioned his motives in seeking the appointment, made this declaration:

"In addition to taking the ground that there is no warrant in the law for such action, and that it would be a severe reflection on the district attorneys of other counties, the Governor plainly said that in his opinion, Mr. Whitman's appeal was inspired by political motives."

If Mr. Whitman thinks that playing politics is a profitable business, he has reckoned without his host," said Mr. Glynn.

The Governor declared that Mr. Whitman had promised to turn over any evidence of wrongdoing that he found outside of his jurisdiction, but that he has come from him. Mr. Glynn added that if Mr. Whitman will surrender any evidence of wrongdoing that he has, prosecutions will be carried on by the various district attorneys, or he will remove them from office.

SENTIMENT GROWS BITTER

Anti-Colombian Feeling in Panama Rapidly Spreads.

Panama, December 21.—The anti-Colombian sentiment has grown to such an extent that an open letter has been sent to President Porras, demanding the expulsion from the republic of the country's detractors and the dismissal of all Colombians holding government positions in Panama. A further demand is made that the police corps be exclusively composed of Panamanians.

It is reported that another anti-Colombian demonstration is being arranged for Thursday night, but the government probably will take steps to prevent a repetition of the scenes of the previous demonstration. Several houses occupied by Colombians were stoned. The editor of La Patria, a local anti-Colombian newspaper, was threatened for several days has been the object of threats.

NIPPED IN BUD BY QUEEN

Prince of Wales Forced to Abandon Project to Organize Club.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] London, December 21.—The project of the Prince of Wales for the formation of a club of the younger royalists, which was being organized by the Prince's private secretary, Lord Bessborough, has been nipped in the bud by Queen Mary. The Queen, who is reported to be a devoted admirer of the Prince, has decided that the club should be withdrawn from the government. A provisional committee has been formed, comprising the prince, the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Bessborough, and Lord Curzon. The club was to be a place where the young royalists could meet and discuss their views on the government.

MRS. W. E. COREY ARRIVES

Wife of Steel Magnate Will Spend Two Months in New York.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, December 21.—Mrs. William Ellis Corey, wife of the steel magnate, arrived in New York today. She was met at the pier by her husband, who is reported to be a devoted admirer of the Prince. The couple are expected to stay in New York for two months.

OVERTURNED INTO DITCH

Train Wrecked, But Passengers Escape Through Broken Windows.

Lorette, Manitoba, December 21.—A Canadian Northern train from Duluth, Minn., was derailed near here and five coaches and a baggage and dining car overturned into the ditch. The wreck occurred about 10 o'clock. The passengers escaped through broken windows. A relief train took the passengers to Winnipeg.

ALL RECRUITS NEEDED

Big Increase in Number of Young Men Seeking to Enter Army.

Washington, December 21.—There recently has been a tremendous increase in the number of young men offering themselves for military service. Last month there were 5,000 applications, 2,000 more than ever before recorded. The increase is attributed to the fact that there are many young men who are anxious to enter the army.

READS BIVOUAC SERVICE

General Young at Funeral of Editor of Confederate Veteran.

Nashville, Tenn., December 21.—General Benjamin H. Young, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, today read the bivouac service at the funeral of A. S. Cunningham, editor of the Confederate Veteran, who died yesterday. Members of the local chapter of the organization participated in the exercises. Mr. Cunningham will be buried to-morrow at his boyhood home at Shelbyville, Tenn.

DEARTH OF MALE DANCERS

Needy Harvard Students to Act as Professional Escort.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Cambridge, Mass., December 21.—John Jefferson, Harvard student and director to Boston's exclusive society circle, has evolved the plan of employing needy Harvard students to act as professional escorts and dancing partners at fashionable hops, where there has lately been a remarkable dearth of male dancers. A bureau has now been established to supply these student-dancers to hostesses who are serving dances and need their services.

ANNOYED BY ODOR OF PAINT

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Asks Ship's Captain to Have Work Stopped.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, December 21.—The odor of paint was so annoying to Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who arrived today on the America, that she insisted on the painter being removed from the ship. She was met at the pier by her husband, who is reported to be a devoted admirer of the Prince. The couple are expected to stay in New York for two months.

CHILEAN AROUSES ROOSEVELT'S FIRE BY HIS CRITICISM

Clash on Account of Divergent Views on Monroe Doctrine.

COLONEL DENIES IT IS DEAD ISSUE

Reported Debate Takes Place During State Reception to Former President of United States Recently Given at University of Santiago.

Washington, December 21.—Members of the diplomatic corps, especially representatives from the South American countries, were greatly interested in a report reaching Washington to-day that former President Roosevelt and Dr. Marcel Martinez, at one time Chilean minister to the United States, had clashed on account of divergent views on the Monroe Doctrine. The Chilean minister is reported to have strongly dissented from the Roosevelt view that the much-discussed doctrine still is a vital issue.

The reported debate attracted unusual interest here, because both of the participants were well known. The prepared speech was reviewed by the Chilean minister, who was reported to have been very critical of the doctrine. Dr. Martinez, it was said, was selected as the spokesman of the Chilean government at the state reception given the American visitor recently at the University of Santiago, because of his warm friendship for the United States. He is one of the oldest and most eminent Chilean diplomats, and made many lasting friendships during his tenure as minister here many years ago.

Arouses Roosevelt's Ire.

In his address at the Roosevelt reception, Dr. Martinez dealt with the Monroe Doctrine, characterizing it as a dead issue, and arguing that the conditions which gave rise to its promulgation have almost entirely disappeared. This statement is said to have aroused the ire of Colonel Roosevelt, who replied with some heat, holding that the Monroe Doctrine still was a vital principle of the foreign policy of the United States. He is said, too, to have suggested to the Chilean diplomat, incidentally, that it was ill-advised on such an occasion to inaugurate a controversy.

Nothing Official Has Reached the Chilean Legation here concerning any phase of what diplomats are inclined to consider a delicate situation.

"It is true that the legation passed upon 'Colonel Roosevelt's Santiago speech,' said Senator Don Eduardo Suarez, Chilean minister to-night. 'After reading the speech, I translated it into Spanish and forwarded it to the Foreign Minister, Señor Enrique Vial. I understood that Colonel Roosevelt's speeches in Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires likewise were submitted to the Brazilian and Argentine Foreign Offices, as those addresses and the one delivered in Santiago here to-day were put before him during the South American tour.'"

"I cannot understand how an issue could be raised between Colonel Roosevelt and Dr. Martinez, since the latter was selected to speak in behalf of Chile on account of his well-known sympathy with the ideals of the United States."

Causes Demonstration.

It is said that at the conclusion of the Roosevelt reception, a demonstration against the American visitor was made by a small clique of Central American students. The group, who were known as the 'Viva Colombia' party, shouted 'Viva Colombia' and 'Down with the Americans' during the South American tour.

PLAN TO AID PRISONERS

League, Composed of Men from Outside, Organized at Auburn.

Auburn, N. Y., December 21.—Thomas Mott Osborne, chairman of the State Commission for Prison Reform, today announced the formation recently of the Prisoners' Aid League, composed of men from outside, who are organized to help the prisoners. The league is composed of men from outside, who are organized to help the prisoners. The league is composed of men from outside, who are organized to help the prisoners.

NOTABLES ARE CAUGHT

Leading Citizens of Wilmington Fall in Police Net.

Philadelphia, December 21.—In raids on two gambling houses early to-day in Wilmington, Del., two former city councilmen and a number of prominent residents of that city were captured. Twelve men, including ex-Councilman Norman J. Downs, were caught in the raid. The raid was conducted by the police, who were looking for evidence of gambling.

PURPOSE OF BOND ISSUE

New York Central Stockholders Ask for Information.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, December 21.—The minority stockholders of the New York Central asked the board of directors to call a special meeting of the stockholders to discuss the purpose of the bond issue. The bond issue is for the purpose of raising money for the construction of new lines.

SPANKS 35-YEAR-OLD SON

Father Punishes Him for Attending Movies and Tangle.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Philadelphia, December 21.—John H. Graham, aged fifty-six, was arraigned at the Germantown Station today on the charge of spanking Edward Graham, his son, aged thirty-five, so violently that the latter had to go to the Germantown Hospital for treatment. According to the police, Edward was spanked for attending the movies, tangle and keeping late hours.

WARNS AGAINST RAW PORK

Agricultural Department Seeks to Prevent Spread of Trichinosis.

Washington, December 21.—To prevent the spread of trichinosis, the department of Agriculture to-night issued a warning against the consumption of raw or uncooked pork products, the declared source of the disease. In many districts of the country particularly in sections with large foreign populations, the statement said, large quantities of pork are consumed during the Christmas season, frequently resulting in serious illness, if not in fatalities. The department asserts that during November and December, 1913, fifty cases of trichinosis were reported from the United States. The disease is caused by a parasite, microscopic in size, found in hog flesh, and there is no known effective method of treatment. Statistics based upon inspection of hogs reported by the department during a period of nine years show that 1.1 per cent of the 8,000,000 hogs examined were infected with trichinosis.

BURN TO DEATH IN FIRE

One Man Loses Life and Twenty-Six Houses Killed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Philadelphia, December 21.—A man was burned to death, another is believed to have met the same fate, and twenty-six houses were killed and 100 rescued during a stable fire at Ninth and Reed streets early to-day. The fire, which started in a stable, spread rapidly, and the firemen were unable to reach the stable in time. The fire was caused by a gas leak. The firemen were unable to reach the stable in time. The fire was caused by a gas leak.

TO INVESTIGATE GRAND JURY

Legislative Committee Will Seek to Find Source of Leaks.

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FIRE FINALLY SUBDUED

Historic Documents Destroyed, and Loss Is \$500,000.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] Portsmouth, England, December 21.—The fire which started in the semaphore tower of the States last evening was not subdued until early this morning. The damage is estimated at about \$500,000. Many historic documents dating back to the days of Nelson were destroyed. The fire was caused by a gas leak.

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UNCLE SAYS STILL

ABREAST OF FLOOD OF YESTERDAY MAIL

Santa Claus Bombards Service With Great Quantity of Matter.

CRUCIAL TEST IS YET TO COME

Ultimate Decision in Annual Bout Between Holiday Patron Saint and Postal Officials Is Matter of Conjecture—Conjunction Reported Only in Few Cities.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, December 21.—Reports from the great centers of population in the United States today indicate that Santa Claus is still abreast of the flood of holiday mail, which threatens to swamp the Post-Office Department.

Santa Claus, however, in the persons of millions of givers all over the nation is bombarding the letter and parcel post departments with a quantity of matter, which makes the ultimate decision in the annual bout between the patron saint of the holidays and postal officials a matter of conjecture.

Crucial Test of the postal system will take place during the next three days, when consignments of Christmas cheer will really get in their drive.

The parcel post is at bottom to blame for making the holiday rush more trying than heretofore. Citizens have availed themselves of this means of cheap and speedy transportation to a degree that has increased the business of the postal service from 50 to 70 per cent even at this early date. Extra shifts and increased working forces are wrestling with the problem. In all the big distributing points. The grand jury investigation of the grand jury indicted for the grand jury formally made returns here.

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PLAN TO CUT EXPENDITURES

Department Proposes to Establish Railway Terminal Post-Offices.

Washington, December 21.—The report of Second Assistant Postmaster General William C. Brewster, to-night disclosed the fact that the Post-Office Department proposes to decrease the expenditures for railway car service by establishing railway terminal post-offices and requiring a separation by routes of first and second-class mails of passengers.

During last year, says the report, a large amount of additional car space was required on mail trains because of the establishment of the parcel post system. That the extension of the service would be a great benefit to the people, and that the cost of the service would be a great benefit to the people, and that the cost of the service would be a great benefit to the people.

LEASE KIDS FOR CHRISTMAS

Wealthy Philadelphia People in Role of Santa Claus.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Philadelphia, December 21.—Because of wealthy and socially prominent Philadelphia families are leasing children, ranging from one to four years, to be given as Christmas gifts. The number of all classes of domestic service girls was 12,277. The combined length of which was 278,585 miles.

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TOO BAD FOR CAPITAL

Sensational Motion Picture Show Is Put Under Ban.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, December 21.—The management of the Majestic Theatre has been ordered by Major Sylvester, superintendent of police, to cancel the advertisement of the motion picture, "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic." The pictures, which have come under the ban of the New York police, were to have been produced by the theatre. The management of the theatre has been ordered to cancel the advertisement of the motion picture, "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic." The pictures, which have come under the ban of the New York police, were to have been produced by the theatre.

Resumed in New York.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, December 21.—By virtue of an injunction issued by Justice Ford of the Supreme Court, the management of the Park Theatre to-day resumed the exhibition of motion pictures of "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic." Five employees of the theatre, who were arrested yesterday, were held to-day by Magistrate Appleton in \$500 bail on the charge of violation of the section of the penal code relating to indecent exhibitions.

Magistrate Appleton gave notice to-day that unless one scene of the motion picture was changed, he would issue a warrant against the producers for libel. The scene shows a politician and "caddy" using their influence with a magistrate to have a woman prisoner discharged.

VIRGINIA VAUGHAN KILLED

Aged Writer Struck by Trolley Car While On Way to Home of Friend.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, December 21.—Virginia Vaughan, one of the few surviving writers of the old school, poet, novelist, dramatist, friend of Theodore Roosevelt and Owen Meredith, companion of the Brownings and Fanny Kemble in Italy and heretofore of several London, who has been held in \$1,000 bail.

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It was to-night predicted that the currency bill could be completed and signed by the President late to-morrow or Tuesday, and Congress has dropped all other business in anticipation of the first actual recess that it will have enjoyed since April 7. It is planned to halt all business until January 12, when the legislators are to enjoy a complete recess. President Wilson, who will leave Washington for Pass Christian, Miss., as soon as the currency bill is signed.

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